



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 513

LCO No. 2046

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:

SEN. DEBICELLA, 21st Dist.

(By Request)

AN ACT CONCERNING PESTICIDES AND HERBICIDES ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 441 of the general statutes be amended to establish a
- 2 pesticides and herbicides advisory committee, consisting of the
- 3 chairpersons and ranking members of the joint standing committees of
- 4 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to the
- 5 environment and public health, the Commissioners of Environmental
- 6 Protection and Public Health, or their designees, and a representative
- 7 from the Department of Environmental Protections' Bureau of Marine
- 8 Fisheries and the Department of Agricultures' Aquaculture Division.
- 9 The committee shall bring about consistency in the general statutes
- 10 and regulations of Connecticut state agencies regarding the use of
- 11 pesticides, shall serve as a depository of information to be provided by
- 12 towns concerning the date, time and amount of pesticide or herbicide
- 13 application and the approval status of the material applied, and shall
- 14 advise property owners and applicators of applicable statutory and
- 15 regulatory requirements.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a pesticides and herbicides advisory committee to bring about consistency in statutes and regulations regarding use of pesticides and herbicides and advise property owners and applicators of applicable statutory and regulatory requirements.